**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH**
**ABSTRACT**

Public Services - M.A. & U.D. Department – Chilakaluripeta Municipality – Disciplinary Proceedings instituted against Sri N.Vishnu Murthy, the then Municipal Assistant Engineer, Chilakaluripeta Municipality, Guntur District under Rule 20 of APCS (CC&A) Rules, 1991 - Enquiry conducted - Penalty of "One Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect" imposed - Orders issued - Appeal filed by Sri N.Vishnu Murthy, the then Municipal Assistant Engineer – Appeal allowed - Orders - Issued.

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MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (VIG.II.1) DEPARTMENT

**G.O.RT.No. 441** **Dated: 08-05-2018**

**Read the following:-**

1. G.O.Rt.No.653, MA&UD (Vig.II.2) Department, dated.15.09.2017.
2. From Sri N.Vishnu Murthy, the then Municipal Assistant Engineer, Chilakaluripeta Municipality, Appeal Petition, dated.23.11.2017.

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**O R D E R:**

Whereas, in the G.O. 1st read above, orders were issued, imposing a penalty of "One Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect" against Sri N.Vishnu Murthy, the then Municipal Assistant Engineer, Chilakaluripeta Municipality, Guntur District in terms of Rule-9 of A.P.Civil Services (CC&A) Rules, 1991 for committing procedural irregularities in not following the code rules properly in certain works carried out in Chilakaluripeta Municipality.

2. Whereas, in the reference 2nd read above, Sri N.Vishnu Murthy, the then Municipal Assistant Engineer, Chilakaluripeta Municipality has filed Appeal Petition before the Government, stating that, the Municipal Assistant Engineer is expected to discharge his duties under the guidance/ instructions of the Deputy Executive Engineer/Executive Engineer, Commissioner as the case might be. He cannot be responsible for trivial nature of irregularities such as procedural irregularities where there is no financial loss to the Government.

3. Further he has stated that, the charges leveled against the other Charged Officer Smt. C.Anuradha, the then Commissioner are on the similar works and the same were not proved. But in his case one charge was proved and another charge was not proved. He has further submitted that, it is the duty of the Presenting Officer to furnish relevant records for perusal and verification of the Charged Officer and for not producing the records, the Charged Officer cannot be held responsible. Without paying attention to the above production of records, all the charges were not proved against the other Charged Officer, whereas one charge is proved and one charge is not proved against him, which is totally discriminate action.

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4. He has therefore, requested the Government to revoke imposition of the penalty of "One Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect" and exonerate him from the charges.

5. Government after careful examination of the matter, have decided to allow the appeal filed by individual and to modify the punishment of "One Annual Grade Increment without cumulative effect" to drop further action against Sri N.Vishnu Murthy, the then Municipal Assistant Engineer, Chilakaluripeta Municipality, Guntur District.

6. Accordingly, Government hereby order to drop further action against Sri N.Vishnu Murthy, the then Municipal Assistant Engineer, Chilakaluripeta Municipality, Guntur District and exonerate him from charges.

7. The Engineer-in-Chief (PH), A.P., Guntur shall take further necessary action in the matter, accordingly.

**(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)**

**R.KARIKAL VALAVEN**
**PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To
Sri N.Vishnu Murthy, the then Municipal Assistant Engineer,
Chilakaluripeta Municipality, now working as
Municipal Assistant Engineer, Ponnur Municipality, Guntur District –
**through the Engineer-in-Chief (PH), A.P., Guntur.**
The Engineer-in-Chief (PH), A.P., Guntur.
**Copy to:**
The Municipal Commissioner, Ponnur Municipality, Guntur District.
The MA&UD (C) Department.
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**// FORWARDED BY ORDER //**

**SECTION OFFICER.**